

## Mr Karena's Lesson Seven – 10 February

### Year 9 “Songs with Values”

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#### Task:

Students analyze a collection of songs to listen for structural devices used in creating a song

The songs that have been analyzed are

	<b>Artist</b>	<b>Song</b>
	Jason Mraz	I'm Yours
	Miley Cyrus	The Climb
	Adele	Someone Like You

The main purpose for listening to well crafted and created songs is to understand the structure of a song.

Most songs have a repeating chorus which repeats the words and the melody. This is purposefully done so that the target audience can remember the words and the melody and most importantly – the message.

In daily life, we don't consciously think about what we listen to. After this exercise, we should be able to hear how easy a song is constructed.